

**Saturday March 16:**

- 7:00 a.m. For the comfort and healing of our sick parishioners, and for the eternal repose of the souls of our departed ones.
- 4:00 p.m. † Gian Carlos Rimola
- 6:00 p.m. Sp. Int. Maria C. Gonzalez
† Gilberto Vargas

Sunday, March 17:

- 7:00 a.m. Sp. Int. People of the Parish
- 9:00 a.m. † Paul & Edna Mae Arreguin
† Mayie Idiart
† Luigi Pietrobon
† Antonio Pietrobon
- 11:00 a.m. For the comfort and healing of our sick parishioners, and for the eternal repose of the souls of our departed ones.
- 1:00 p.m. Sp. Int. Rebeca Macias
† Almas del Purgatorio
Sp. Int. Maria C. Gonzalez
† Sacerdotes en Purgatorio
† Arturo Bernal
† Jose Raul Mena
† Jorge Alvarez
† Pacita C. Ibarra
- 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Por el consuelo y sanación de nuestros feligreses enfermos y por el eterno descanso de las almas de nuestros difuntos.

Monday, March 18:

- 7:00 a.m. † Marselina Ramirez
† Carlos Lepe
- 6:30 p.m. † Almas del Purgatorio
† Arturo Bernal

Tuesday, March 19:

- 7:00 a.m. Sp. Int. Adriana Chavez
† Juana Lepe

Wednesday, March 20:

7:00 a.m.

† Lourdes Zari
Sp. Int. Maria Ramirez
† Arturo Bernal**Thursday, March 21:**

- 7:00 a.m. † Almerinda Rocha
† Lourdes Zari

Friday, March 22:

- 7:00 a.m. For the comfort and healing of our sick parishioners, and for the eternal repose of the souls of our departed ones.
- 6:30 p.m. † Arturo Bernal

Saturday March 23:

- 7:00 a.m. Sp. Int. Araceli Frias
- 4:00 p.m. † Dinis and Lina Pereira
† Zezinha Pereira
† Francisco B. Franco
- 6:00 p.m. † Arturo Bernal

Sunday, March 24:

- 7:00 a.m. † Paul & Edna Mae Arreguin
† Margarete De Ruyter
Sp. Int. Edgar Chavez
Sp. Int. Araceli Frias
Sp. Int. People of the Parish
† Juan Rivera
† Bobby Tellez
† Miguel Padilla Marquez
† Edwin Natividad
† Joy Olivia Peteros
† Leticia Romero
† Jose Ascencion
† Almas del Purgatorio
† Arturo Bernal
† Jorge Alvarez
† Pacita C. Ibarra
† Gregg Drissen
- 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Por el consuelo y sanación de nuestros feligreses enfermos y por el eterno descanso de las almas de nuestros difuntos.
- 1:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

2024 Multi-parish Divine Mercy Novena and Mercy Sunday

Come to know our Lord's Divine Mercy! Participate in the 2024 multi-parish Divine Mercy Novena beginning Good Friday, March 29 and concluding Mercy Sunday, April 7 at St. Paul the Apostle Church in Chino Hills. St. Margaret Mary will host Day 8 with a novena mass on Friday, April 5. There will be a table outside after mass to provide further information.

2024 Novena de la Divina Misericordia y Domingo de la Misericordia en varias parroquias

¡Ven a conocer la Divina Misericordia de nuestro Señor! Participe en la Novena de la Divina Misericordia 2024 que comienza el Viernes Santo 29 de marzo y concluye el Domingo de la Misericordia el 7 de abril en la Iglesia de San Pablo Apóstol en Chino Hills. Santa Margarita María será la anfitriona del Día 8 con una misa de novena el viernes 5 de abril. Habrá una mesa afuera después de la misa para brindar más información.

Central in the Gospel this Sunday is the conversation between Jesus and Martha. It holds profound significance, particularly when considering its connection to the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Third Scrutiny and the commencement of Holy Week on Palm Sunday.

In the RCIA Third Scrutiny, candidates are led through a period of introspection, repentance, and deepening of their faith as they prepare for baptism. Martha's initial lament, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died," echoes the sense of longing and dependence on the divine that many individuals feel during their journey towards initiation into the Christian faith. Her acknowledgment of God's power, even in the face of death, aligns with the transformative nature of the scrutinies.

Jesus' assurance that Martha's brother will rise becomes a powerful proclamation of the resurrection, a theme that is at the heart of both the Third Scrutiny and the upcoming Holy Week. The declaration, "I am the resurrection and the life," serves as a foundational truth that the candidates are invited to embrace during their preparation for baptism. This statement underscores the profound promise of eternal life through faith in Christ.

As Holy Week begins next Sunday, which is Palm Sunday, with the blessing of palms, this passage sets the stage for the events that will unfold—leading ultimately to Christ's sacrifice, death, and resurrection. Martha's confession, "I have come to believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God," mirrors the faith journey of those undergoing the RCIA process, as they approach the Easter Vigil with a deepened understanding and belief in Jesus as the Messiah.

Incorporating this Gospel passage into reflections during the RCIA Third Scrutiny can serve as a poignant reminder of the transformative power of Christ's resurrection and the candidates' journey from longing and belief to a profound confession of faith in preparation for the sacred events of Holy Week. Blessed Holy Week!

El Evangelio de este domingo es la conversación entre Jesús y Marta. Tiene un significado profundo, particularmente cuando se considera su conexión con el Tercer Escrutinio del RICA (Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos) y el comienzo de la Semana Santa el Domingo de Ramos.

En el Tercer Escrutinio de RICA, los candidatos son guiados a través de un período de introspección, arrepentimiento y profundización de su fe mientras se preparan para el bautismo. El lamento inicial de Marta: "Señor, si hubieras estado aquí, mi hermano no habría muerto", hace eco del sentimiento de anhelo y dependencia de lo divino que muchas personas sienten durante su camino hacia la iniciación en la fe cristiana. Su reconocimiento del poder de Dios, incluso ante la muerte, se alinea con la naturaleza transformadora de los escrutinios.

La seguridad de Jesús de que el hermano de Marta resucitará se convierte en una poderosa proclamación de la resurrección, un tema que está en el centro tanto del Tercer Escrutinio como de la próxima Semana Santa. La declaración "Yo soy la resurrección y la vida" sirve como una verdad fundamental que los candidatos están invitados a abrazar durante su preparación para el bautismo. Esta declaración subraya la profunda promesa de la vida eterna mediante la fe en Cristo.

Como la Semana Santa comienza con el Domingo de Ramos, con la bendición de las palmas, este pasaje prepara el escenario para los eventos que se desarrollarán y conducirán al sacrificio, muerte y resurrección de Cristo. La confesión de Marta: "He llegado a creer que tú eres el Cristo, el Hijo de Dios", refleja el viaje de fe de quienes pasan por el proceso de RICA, mientras se acercan a la Vigilia Pascual con una comprensión y una creencia más profundas en Jesús como el Mesías.

Incorporar este pasaje del Evangelio en las reflexiones durante el Tercer Escrutinio de RICA puede servir como recordatorio del poder transformador de la resurrección de Cristo y del viaje de los candidatos desde el anhelo y la creencia hasta una profunda confesión de fe en preparación para los eventos sagrados de la Semana Santa. ¡Bendita Semana Santa!

Prayer Corner

For all those who are in need of healing and comfort in our parish...

Sally-Ann Thomas
 Chaz Decoteau
 Theresa Marjan
 Stephanie Ann Ortiz
 Pat Moretta
 Camille Briones-Jones
 Mary Moran
 Arthur Gray
 Barbara Briones
 Hector Gomez
 Silvia Abarca Blas
 Barbara Briones
 Charles Avila
 Luciana Ofelia
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Mrs. Koss
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 Lenora Armas
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 Houssam Birkhimer
 Elianna Lucia Vega
 Patty Eller
 Ed Gomez
 Ralph Esposito
 Eric Daniel
 Barbara Roy
 David G Quiroz Nunez
 Maria C Gonzalez



We prayed, fasted, and gave alms—Our Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl challenged us as we anticipate our Risen Lord to bring the hope of Resurrection to a world in need. This is a reminder to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl donations on Sunday, Palm Sunday March 23rd. Please make your check payable to: St. Margaret Mary Church / CRS Rice Bowl or using the online giving option on the SMM web site. Please do not turn in the actual Rice Bowl boxes. Thank you for your support and generosity!

Holy Week Schedule

Sunday, March 24

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF OUR LORD

Blessing of Palms at all Masses- Regularly scheduled Masses

Thursday, March 28

6:30pm Bilingual Mass- HOLY THURSDAY OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

(Start of Paschal Triduum)

Washing of the Feet, Transfer and Adoration of the

Blessed Sacrament at the Altar of Repose

Friday, March 29

GOOD FRIDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

12:00pm – English Stations of the Cross, Liturgy of the Word,

Adoration of the Holy Cross and Holy Communion

5:00pm – Bilingual Live Passion of Christ Play

6:00pm - Bilingual Live Stations of the Cross

7:00pm – Spanish Liturgy of the Word,

Adoration of the Holy Cross and Holy Communion

Saturday, March 30

HOLY SATURDAY

8:00am- Tenebrae

THE EASTER VIGIL OF THE HOLY NIGHT

8:00pm – Bilingual Mass

Blessing of Fire, Preparation of the Easter Candle and Exulted

Liturgeries of the Word, Baptismal Liturgy, and Eucharist

Sunday, March 31

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

English Masses – 7:00am, 9:00am, 9:15am (Parish Hall) and

11:00am

Spanish Masses – 1:00pm, 1:15pm (Parish Hall)

Renewal of Baptismal Vows at all Masses

The columbiettes once again are having their Breakfast Burrito sale. Please mark your calendar for Sunday, March 24th. Serving after 7 and 9 O'clock masses.

Join Young Adult Ministry this Lent for prayer, dinner, and fellowship! YAM meets every second and fourth Wednesday of the month from 6pm-8pm.

March 27 - Lenten Reflection and Music, with a Talk on the Paschal Triduum in our Faith Formation Office

Weekly Collections for the week of: 3-10-2024

Envelope- \$ 14,379.00

Online - \$ 7,240.24

Total- \$ 21,619.24**TODAY'S READINGS / LECTURAS DE HOY.**

First Reading — I will make a new covenant; I will write my law upon their hearts (Jeremiah 31:31-34) or *Ezekiel 37:12-14*.

Psalm — Create a clean heart in me, O God (Psalm 51) or *Psalm 130*.

Second Reading — Christ learned obedience and became the source of eternal salvation (Hebrews 5:7-9) or *Romans 8:8-11*.

Gospel — If a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it produces much fruit (John 12:20-33) or *John 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]*.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK /
LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA**

- Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:1-11
- Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 ; 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29 ;Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22 ; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a
- Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42
- Thursday: Gn 17:3-9 ; 8:10; Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 ; Jn 8:51-59
- Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42
- Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56
- Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 (procession); Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]

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This week's Penance Services

St. Charles Borromeo	Bloomington	Monday, March 18th	7:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Guadalupe	Ontario	Tuesday, March 19th	7:00 p.m.
St. John XXIII	Rialto	Tuesday, March 19th	7:00 p.m.
St. George	Fontana	Wednesday, March 20th	7:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Rancho Cucamonga	Thursday, March 21	7:00 p.m.

"CATHOLICISM"

The Sacraments. by Bishop Barron

We are pleased to announce that a new video series 'The Sacraments' by Bishop Barron will begin on Tuesday April 2nd at 6:30 pm in the church hall. Come fellowship and walk in detail through the Great Sacraments of the Catholic Church, Baptism, Confirmation, The Eucharist, Reconciliation, the Anointing of the Sick, Matrimony and Holy Orders. Come join us in this six-episode video series where we will be engaged in every aspect of these seven Sacraments and come to better understand how they have, and should, affect our lives in our Catholic faith.

Celebrate our Risen Lord at St. Margaret Mary's

Easter Egg Hunt

for children up to the age of 12 and their families

Sunday March 31, 2024
10:30 am, 12 noon & 2:30 pm
Parish Office Lawns

Donations of new plastic eggs and candy can be delivered to the Parish Office by Monday March 25. Thank you for your support!

DEAR PEOPLE OF GOD,

Come along and journey with us for eight weeks with St. Faustina as our guide. LET US JOYFULLY REDISCOVER AND SHARE OUR FAITH AND BE TRANSFORMED IN GOD'S LOVE AND MERCY!

Week 5 The Chaplet and the Novena

SPIRITUAL JOURNEY with St. Faustina

Jesus Christ gave a very special prayer to St. Faustina for the benefit of everyone – the CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY. Toward the end of her life, Sister Faustina was directed by Jesus to pray the Chaplet for nine days preceding the Feast of Divine Mercy beginning on Good Friday. "I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My MERCY, that they may draw there from strength and refreshment and whatever grace they need in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death. On each day you will bring to My HEART a different group of souls, and you will immerse them in this ocean of My mercy, and I will bring these souls into the house of My Father. You will do this in this life and in the next. I will deny NOTHING to any soul whom you will bring to the fount of My mercy. On each day you will beg My Father, on the strength of my bitter Passion, for graces for these souls" (Diary 1209).

Celebre a nuestro Señor Resucitado en

La Búsqueda de Huevos de Pascua

por a todos los niños de hasta 12 años y a sus familias

domingo 31 de marzo de 2024
10:30 am, 12 noon & 2:30 pm
el césped de la Oficina Parroquial

Las donaciones de nuevos huevos de plástico y dulces se pueden llevar a la Oficina Parroquial antes del lunes 25 de marzo.
¡Gracias por su apoyo!